REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Title of Publication: I Love 'Em Asian 3

Other Known Title: I Love 'Em Asian Vol. 3

Format: DVD

Director/Author: Dan Dapper

Producer/Publisher: Not Stated

Country of Origin: USA

Language: English

Applicant: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.

Distributor: Calvista NZ Ltd

Classification:

The unexcised version of this publication is classified as Objectionable.

The excised version of this publication is classified as Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.

Descriptive Note: Not Applicable

Display Conditions: Not Applicable

Date of entry in Register: 21 November 2006

Date of direction to issue a label: Not Applicable

OFLC No: 601885

Unexcised version of publication:

	Components	Running time
Menu:	Play	
	Scenes	
	Extras	
Feature:	I Love 'Em Asian 3	123.16

Other timed components:	Copyright Warning Notice	0.20
	X18+ Notice	0.09
	Photo Gallery	6.19
	X18+ Notice (x3)	0.06
	I Love 'Em Asian #2	0.59
	I Love 'Em Latin #2	0.59
	Lock, Load & Swallow	0.59
Total running time:		133.07

Excisions: Excisions Recommended But Not Made

Reasons for excisions:

Multiple excisions are required to the publication. Several excisions are required to the second scene in the feature, in order to remove all instances of particularly degrading fellatio. Another excision is to remove similar behaviour in the third scene. All of the excisions are necessary to remove depictions of sexual activity that degrade, demean and dehumanise the female participants to a high degree. The women are degraded, demeaned and dehumanised by the activities, by the way that the scenes are filmed and by the way that they are positioned and treated.

Summary of reasons for classification:

The publication entitled *I Love 'Em Asian 3* is classified as: Objectionable.

I Love 'Em Asian 3 is a DVD comprising a feature and a selection of additional components. The main focus of the feature is the explicit depiction of sexual activity between men and women for adult sexual arousal.

The Classification Office required multiple excisions to the DVD. All of the excisions were necessary to remove depictions of sexual activity that degrade, demean and dehumanise the female participants to a high degree. The women were degraded, demeaned and dehumanised by the activities, by the way that the scenes were filmed and by the way that they were positioned and treated.

If the proposed excisions had been made the publication would have been classified as objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years. The distributor declined the opportunity to make the excisions and the publication is therefore classified as objectionable.

The Classification Office has considered the effects of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act (1990) on the application of the classification criteria. The classification interferes with the freedom of expression, but this is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's intention that publications that contain degrading, dehumanising and demeaning conduct, and which degrade, dehumanise and demean women to such an extent and degree that the publication is likely to be injurious to the public good, be classified objectionable.